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CROSSFIELD ALBERTA. THURSDAY, APRIL 3, 1913.

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GENERALLY if a man looks well, he is well.

A clean well-kept home usually houses a thrifty prosperous family, and a well painted town be-speaks pride and prosperity to outsiders. The man who fails to clean up and paint up his property is short-sighted.

Take the effect of paint and varnish out of a town, and what have you—a naked unbeautiful sight; with decay gnawing at every clapboard. Paint is not, as some consider, simply ornamental. It is useful for its preserving qualities, and stands as a badge of prosperity and right citizenship. Clean up a yard and paint up a building and their selling value is enhanced far beyond the cost of the work.

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Barn Paint	"	-	1.80
Varnish	"	-	3.00
Inside Floor Paint	"	-	2.50
Wagon Paint, per quart	-	-	.80
Buggy Paint	"	-	.90
Varnish Stain, per pint	-	-	.50

### Laut Brothers, HARDWARE & GROCERIES.

## Pioneer Store

**New Dry Goods.**--Serges are very popular this year, and we have a good variety in Staple Colours; also our Dress Goods Department is complete with a large range of Popular Cloths, and their smart appearance and good wearing qualities will win for them a preference with the best dressed ladies. We have a large range of **New Gingams, Costume Cloths, Galatias, Prints, &c.**, and the patterns are better than ever.

**New Spring Shoes.**--We have been fortunate in securing the "Hartt" Shoes for Men, without doubt one of the Best Shoes in Canada. We feel confident these shoes will gain the popularity they deserve with those who appreciate a classy, up-to-date last, together with undoubted durability.

**New Hats & Clothing.**--The first shipment of "Campbell's" Clothing has arrived.

This is the brand that was so popular last year and met with such ready sale. Repeat orders testify to the merit and speaks well of the reputation that this clothing has gained in this district.

We have secured the agency for the "Barrington Hat," no Hat made has a better name for style and durability at the price are conceded to be the best value offered.

See our Range of Styles of Early Spring Hats.

**Lenten Specials.**--Fresh White Fish at 10c. per lb.; Finnan Haddie and Kipperd Herring, at 15c. per lb. Oysters, Salmon, Sardines and Kipperd Herring in Tins.

### Wm. Urquhart, GENERAL MERCHANT

## Vote for Fisher Sifton & the Farmer

Remember---Mr. Fisher and Mr. Jarrett will be at the Oddfellows Hall, at 8-0 p.m., on Tuesday next.

Fisher represents Progress, Development, and Government for the Farmer.

Jarrett Represents --- ?

### Local and General:

R. S. Peacock has this week purchased 40 head of mixed cattle from Mr. Patterson.

Mrs. W. B. Edwards will receive on Tuesday, April 8th, from 4 to 6 p.m. Her sister Miss Shannon, of Edmonton, will receive with her.

A meeting of Women's Institute will be held in the Fire Hall, on Saturday, April 5th, at 3 p.m. The ladies are cordially invited to be present.

W. Woledge has bought the Graham house and is shortly taking up residence there.

Dan McArthur has taken over the McFadden aback and has removed into it.

We hear that one of our local "shining lights" took a fall out of the Hon. Duncan Marshall on Monday last. Duncan is a big man but so is the other fellow.

The Revd. A. Thorold-Eller will hold his last service in the Church of the Ascension, Crossfield on Sunday next, April 6th, at 3-0 p.m., instead of 11-0 a.m. The service will consist of evening and sermon, and during the service the infant daughter of the Rev. A. and Mrs. Thorold-Eller will be admitted into the Church by the Rite of Holy Baptism.

Miss Fox and Miss Crilley, of the Crossfield Public School, returned last Sunday evening from Edmonton, where they had been attending the Teachers' Convention, held in that city, on March 25th, 26th and 27th. Miss Fox also spent a few days at her home in Athabasca Landing.

Joint meetings of the Conservative and Liberal candidates will be held at the following places:--On Monday, April 7th, Bowers Hall, Airdrie, Tuesday, April 8th, I.O.O.F. Hall, Crossfield; Wednesday, April 9th, at Beaver Dam School House; on Thursday, April 10th, at Cremona; Friday, April 11th, at Sampsonston. All to commence at Eight o'clock in the evening. The Hon. C. W. Fisher and Mr. H. T. Jarrett are expected to be present at each meeting. Turn up in crowds.

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## SEEDS! SEEDS!

NOTHING but Seeds, that is what we want to talk about this week. No matter whether you want an ounce or a ton let us quote you.

**Timothy, Rape, Alfalfa, Brome, Clover,**

Are some of the Field Seeds that we are in a position to give you the benefit of good buying.

We also carry McKenzie's Garden Seeds, a western product for a western people.

Let us quote you on these, we can save you money. Especially if you need to buy in quantity.

Our Garden Tools will stand Use as well as abuse.

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## Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the Council Chamber over Fire Hall on the first Tuesday of each alternate month, commencing with February at 7 p.m.  
By Order of the Village Council  
S-52-1 W. McKory, Sec.-Treas.

## Airdrie News.

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## CROSSFIELD LODGE I. O. O. F.

No. 42  
Meets Every Wednesday Night in the Oddfellows Hall at 8 p.m.  
Visiting Brethren Welcome.  
G. CLARKSON, HENRY BECKER,  
Fin. Sec'y. Rec.-Sec'y.

## Professional Cards

J. G. RIDDLE,  
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CARSTAIRS, ALBERTA.

FOR DATES AND FURTHER  
PARTICULARS APPLY AT  
The Chronicle Office.

## Crossfield School District No. 752

The REGULAR MEETING of the above School Board will be held at the School House at 10 a.m. on the first Saturday in the following months: January, March, May, July, September and November. All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.

The office of the Sec.-Treas. is in the real estate office next the Chronicle.  
Major R. L. Boyle, Chairman.  
Rev. A. Thorold-Eller, Sec.-Treas.

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TO LET, Four Furnished Rooms, over the Pool Room, for particulars apply Collins Bros. 15

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WORK HORSES for Sale—Apply to  
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## A FORTUNE IN IT

If you could place an ad in the Moon millions of people would read it.

Even then it would only be valuable a few nights each month, whereas a Want Ad in this paper while more limited in its scope will cover this particular locality every day in the year.

Registered 622 by H. W. Bellamy

## Airdrie Notes.

J. A. Baker, of Didsbury, was in town in connection with the telephone.

W. McKenzie, of Calgary, was a visitor in town on Saturday.

W. A. Grimsdale, of Calgary, was a visitor in town on Saturday.

Miss Morrison, of Calgary, was visiting Mrs. McDonald over Sunday.

Miss M. Burns, of Calgary, attended Mrs. McCormack on Friday, visiting the dance in town on that evening.

L. M. Hart, with three or four of his Calgary friends came up on Friday and took in the dance.

Tom Morrisson has returned from his homestead across the Red Deer. Mr. and Mrs. J. McCormack returned to move to Calgary soon to take up their residence in the city.

R. Burns, of Calgary, was in town on Saturday on business.

Fred J. Watt, of Alask, is in town for a few days.

J. A. Dunning is in town again buying heavy draught horses. He has taken quite a bunch of horses from this part of the country.

Miss Clara Patrick, of Calgary, was in town on Friday and attended the dance.

The dance on Friday given under the auspices of the I.O.O.F. Lodge was a great success. There was a very good attendance, many from Calgary being there. The music was very good and everyone enjoyed themselves well.

Wm. Pick, of the I. H. Co., of Olds, was in town on Saturday.

Geo. Lane, of Crossfield, was also a visitor here on Saturday.

P. E. Rickard is much better after his treatment in Calgary.

J. E. Luckhardt had the misfortune to get kicked in the leg with one of his horses the other day. The wound is not serious but is very painful as he will affirm.

D. Caul of the Airdrie Hotel staff left for Saskatoon on Monday. If he gets a good job there he expects to stay for a while.

Crossfield Village  
Council Meeting.

At the last meeting of the Village Council Mr. W. McKory was appointed to do the assessing and collecting of Taxes for the Crossfield School Board.

This was made necessary by the new law, which states that all school taxes will be assessed and collected by the town in which they have their centre.

## CROSSFIELD LOCAL &amp; GENERAL.

O. Irwin left town on Saturday last for Brandon, Manitoba.

The Crossfield Literary Society will hold their next meeting on Monday, the 6th inst, in the Canadian Bank of Commerce reception room.

The Quiddrill Club held their final dance of the season on Friday last, and although the attendance was not up to the usual mark a very pleasant evening was spent. Messrs. Willis and E. F. Brown supplied the music.

Geo. Becker the local dairy magnate has added another 12 thorough bred Ayrshire cattle to his already respectable herd of good milch cows.

McRory and Sons have a limited amount of good Timothy Seed for Sale. Price 10c. per lb.

T. J. Elliott, of the firm of Doyle and Elliott was a business visitor to Calgary on Friday last.

McRory and Sons have just issued the second edition of their Phone Directory. These are all ready to hand out to any Phone subscriber who will call at their store.

Mrs. A. R. Thomas was a Calgary visitor the first of the week.

E. H. Morrow who lately purchased the Parker property here in town has moved to his new home.

Get a sample of my seed oats from A. W. Gordon and try them, and you will find out they will all grow. Geo. Husar. 16

E. Johnson, of Calgary, Sundated with his sister, Mrs. E. S. McKory.

Mrs. W. McKory spent the week end with Calgary friends, returning home on Monday night.

Mr. Barlow wishes to announce to the public that he has added an up-to-date bath room to the barber shop. A trial solicited.

The Hon. Duncan Marshall and the Hon. C. W. Fisher attended the convention held here on Monday last in the Liberal interests.

James Ramsey is confined to his home by la grippe.

People who have moaned the fact in the past that we had no newsboy need no no longer as we noticed one on the street Tuesday last. Anybody want an "Eye Opener."

A good number of Cochrane citizens attended the Liberal convention here on Monday.

If you require to renew your old Loan or take out a new one call and see me, as I can save you money. I represent the N. of Scotland Can. Mortgage Co., The Canada Life, and others. CHAS. HULTGREN.

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CALGARY,  
April 8-12th, 1913

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## DESOLATION IN OHIO

TOLL OF DEATH BELIEVED TO BE ENORMOUS

Estimated Dead is Placed at Three Thousand with Property Damaged to the Amount of One Hundred Millions Dollars as Result of Floods and Fire.

Dayton.—Dayton is a city of the dead and dying, homeless and grief-stricken. The tragic story will not be known until the last dead body has been taken from the flood that covers half the city and the last charred body from the ruins of that spread unchecked through the south of the city. The whole story will never be told, the kernel of men, married couples of women, mad hysteria, and despair that gripped those who, impelled in their homes by water, waited in vain for help until advancing flames came and destroyed them.

Down the great Miami Valley, the richest farming section in Ohio, the farm houses, barns, stock and human bodies are scattered together on a sweeping down country. In several places the valley contracts to less than half a mile in width, and in these sections the raging torrent is sweeping with tremendous force tearing away all obstructions. Big hotels are crowded, department stores are flooded. Jail crowded with prisoners is inundated; fashionable churches are awash.

No tents nor other shelter could be secured for the homeless. The heartrending feature of the situation was the pitiable record of the women and children. The women were bedridden throughout the night, refused to be relieved, while fathers who misused wives and children were driven in a nerve-shaking way that strong men have been voicing sorrow. There was no one to take care of them, and cause no one knows or will know for several days what the cost in lives and children.

Children were separated from their mothers in the turmoil. Dayton is a lost city; it is completely separated from the rest of the world. Its isolation is almost primeval.

Columbus, Ohio.—Ohio is experiencing the worst floods in its history. Many estimate that the damage to property is the largest since the devastation, Texas, was literally swept off the map.

So appalling and seemingly exaggerated were many reports from flooded cities and towns that they were neglected and in some instances wholly disregarded. Later reports from these sections, however, many times confirmed what the first reports told.

In other cases reports proved not to be correct. The various news agencies of the state have reported great difficulties in securing accurate reports because of crippled wires. Although reports of fire and disaster are coming from every section of the state, the greatest damage and loss of life from reports is at Dayton. The conditions there began description. While the business section of the city is practically all under water and the estimated loss of life is appalling, fires are adding to the suffering.

The lurid lights from burning buildings add horrors to the stricken city. Loss of life is said to be at least hundreds to thousands.

Cleveland, Ohio.—Late reports from stricken sections show that the loss of life has been heavy, but so far no accurate estimate of the total number of killed is possible. Two hundred persons have been rendered homeless and property damaged to the extent of half a billion dollars.

Miami River valley, including the towns of Dayton, Hamilton and Piquette, is in a state of complete devastation. The Washburn river, bursting its banks at Peru, Ind., has brought havoc upon towns throughout its length.

Through other sections of both states smaller rivers have flooded towns and hamlets by scores, and paving eastward the rising of waters now threatens to visit similar destruction upon the vicinity of Pittsburgh, Wheeling and other cities on the Ohio and Allegheny rivers.

Governor Cox made a regulation on the Federal War Department for fifty thousand tents, ration, medical supplies, surgeons, and nurses. He also sent special appeals to President Wilson and Secretary of War Garrison.

President Asks for Aid.—Washington.—The following appeal for victims of the floods in the middle western state was issued by President Wilson.

Terrible floods in Ohio and Indiana have approached the proportions of a national calamity. From the Ohio and the Indiana, suffering prompts me to issue an earnest appeal to all who are able, in however small a way, to assist the labors of the American Red Cross in food contributions to the Red Cross Society of Washington.

The people of this common cause, the local treasures of the society, we should think everyone capable of sympathy and compassion to give immediate aid to those who are laboring to rescue and relieve.

Italian Defeat Arabs.—Tripoli.—The Italian forces recently defeated a band of Arab tribes. The Arab losses numbered 280 killed and many wounded. On the Italian side the casualties were 123 dead and 123 wounded.

## CANADA PARTY TO JAPANESE TREATY

Premier Will Introduce Bill Making Exceptions to Terms with Great Britain

Ottawa.—The government has decided that Canada shall become a party to the treaty between Great Britain and Japan, which was concluded in 1911. It is termed a treaty of commerce and navigation, and was entered into on the understanding that it should not apply to any of the British Dominions except such as should within two years signify their adherence to it. The two years will expire on April 3 and the prime minister has given notice of the introduction of a bill in the commons giving Canada's adherence to the treaty. In effect, the British places the subjects of either power upon terms of equality with native subjects in both countries as regards right of travel, residence, commerce, possession of property, immunity from extra taxation and reciprocity, freedom of trade and commerce. It also provides that articles of the produce of manufacture of either country shall not be subjected to higher duties other than levied upon similar articles from other foreign countries. And further that there shall be reciprocal freedom of shipping, except as regards coasting trade.

The Dominion Act, however, will make provision that nothing in the treaty shall affect the terms of the Canadian Immigration Act. Another exception is that the section of the treaty providing for the reciprocity in certain articles shall not apply to this country. Under this article, the treaty will not apply to articles of commerce and other products of Japan are admitted free into the United Kingdom.

## AGRICULTURE GROWTH

Greater Wheat Area Crop Yield and Improvement in Mixed Farming Reported

Edmonton, Alta.—The report of the Alberta department of agriculture, covering the work of the department in 1912, was laid on the table of the legislature by the minister of agriculture, Hon. Duncan Marshall.

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## FALL OF ADRIANOPLE

VICTORY OF BALKAN ALLIES IS NOW COMPLETE

Shukri Pasha, Who Made a Gallant and Prolonged Defense of Adrianople, was Forced to Surrender to the Bulgarians—Jealousy Among the Victor.

London.—Adrianople has fallen after one of the most stubborn defenses in the history of warfare. Shukri Pasha, the defender of Adrianople, who held the town for 153 days against great odds, which included, besides the invading armies, disease and famine, handed his sword to Gen. Savoff, the Bulgarian generalissimo, not however, carrying out his stern threat to destroy the town rather than let it fall into the hands of the Bulgarians.

From all accounts the arsenals and all the stores and a great part of the town are in flames. It is also reported that Shukri Pasha had taken his own life, but this proved to be untrue. After visiting all the fortifications and deciding that resistance was no longer possible, he sent word to Gen. Savoff, whom he made no mission, that he was burning the city.

Gen. Savoff has appointed a commandant of the city, who will take steps to maintain order. The Bulgarian and Serbian cavalry, which were the first to enter the town, will be utilized for this purpose.

The battle which commenced Sunday night with a three-hour bombardment, the Turks repelled with courage, but they were directly saving their ammunition as the artillery did soon ceased.

The belonging troops in the east advanced at double-quick under the range of searchlights to attack the ramparts of the city. After a fierce defense, which lasted through Tuesday, the Turks were driven from the light forward works and forts. Part of these engaged in covering the retreat, but they were directly saving their ammunition as the artillery did soon ceased.

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## WESTERN CANADA'S ANNUAL SPRING MUSICAL FESTIVAL

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## THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

LESSON 11—SECOND QUARTER, FOR APRIL 6, 1913

Text of the Lesson, Gen. xviii, 23-34. Memory Verses, 23, 34—Golden Text, Isa. xxx, 18.—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

Seven other sons, including Ishmael, are recorded as having been born to Abraham by his secondary wives, but to Isaac he gave all his possessions (xxv, 1, 2, 5) and sent the others away unto the east country. Abraham lived 175 years, and when he died Isaac and Ishmael laid his body to be buried in the cave of Machpelah (xxv, 7-10). While he lived he looked for the city which he had foundations whose builder and maker is God (Heb. xii, 16, 17), and he is still waiting for it and for the complete fulfillment of the promises made to him as heir of the world (Rom. ix, 12) time long ago, to us, but not to him to whom a thousand years are but as yesterday when it is past (Ps. xc, 4) and as a watch in the night.

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**To Our Readers.**

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**Liberal Convention.**

On Monday last the Liberals of the Cochrane Riding held a successful convention meeting in the Fire Hall, Crossfield. The hall was crowded so that even standing room was not to be obtained, and many were disappointed at not being able to hear the Hon. Duncan Marshall's interesting and instructive address on the "Schools of Agriculture" which he is posting throughout the Province.

A general organization of the riding was effected and the following officers were elected: President, Capt. N. J. Wigle; Vice-President, W. B. Edwards; Secretary, E. H. Morrow; Hon. Presidents, The Hon. Sir Wilfred Laurier and The Hon. A. L. Sifton. The executive was composed of one member elected from each Township. After the formation of the Association the nomination of the Hon. C. W. Fisher as Liberal candidate was announced amidst great enthusiasm. Mr. Fisher gave a short address before the close of the meeting which was enlivened by good humored debate and criticism.

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